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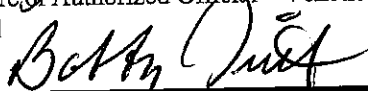
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Division of Environmental Health and Engineering

## **Financial Assistance Sub-Award**

Sanitation Facilities Program:  
The Venetie Village Council, Alaska  
ANTHC Project No. AN 02-G44  
August 2002

<b>Sanitation Facility</b>  <b>Financial Assistance Sub-Award</b> <b>ALASKA NATIVE TRIBAL HEALTH CONSORTIUM</b>		<b>ANTHC Project Number:</b> AN 02-G44					
		<b>Recipient Name &amp; Address</b>  Venetie Village Council P.O. Box 119 Venetie, AK 99781  <b>Contact:</b> Bobby Tritt, First Chief      Phone: 907-849-8212 Fax: 907-849-8149					
<b>Project Budget and Funding Sources</b>							
Job Type Description	Scope of Work	Qty	Units	Unit Cost	Denali Commission	Total	
					FY02		
DS: Design & Studies	design and planning for renovating existing washeteria	1	LS	\$13,300	\$13,300	\$13,300	
WA: Washeteria	renovate existing washeteria	1	LS	119,700	119,700	119,700	
Total Award					\$133,000	\$133,000	
Denali Commission Project No. 0068-DC-2002-I21	Project Title Venetie Washeteria Renovation			Award Performance Period From: August 2002 To: August 2004			
<p>This ANTHC Financial Assistance Sub-Award constitutes an award of federally funded assistance authorized by the Denali Commission. By signing the document, the Sub-Award Recipient (Local Participant) agrees to comply with the Sub-Award provisions indicated below and attached.</p> <p>Attachments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project Specific Special Award Conditions (2 pages)</li> <li>• Instructions for Resolution (1 page)</li> <li>• Resolution for Project (3 pages)</li> <li>• Environmental Review and Documentation (16-18 pages)</li> </ul> <p>Federal Provisions: (Printed copies are available upon request.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 15 CFR 24, Uniform Admin Requirements for Grants/Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments: &lt;<a href="http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx_99/15cfr24_99.html">www.access.gpo.gov/nara/cfr/waisidx_99/15cfr24_99.html</a>&gt; (Applies to local or tribal government)</li> <li>• OMB Circular A-87, Cost Principles for State and Local Governments and Indian Tribal Governments: &lt;<a href="http://www.whitehouse.gov/OMB/circulars/a087/a087-all.html">www.whitehouse.gov/OMB/circulars/a087/a087-all.html</a>&gt; (Applies to local or tribal government)</li> <li>• OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments and Non-Profit Organizations &lt;<a href="http://www.whitehouse.gov/OMB/circulars/a133/a133.html">www.whitehouse.gov/OMB/circulars/a133/a133.html</a>&gt; (Applies to all Sub-Awards)</li> </ul>							
Signature of Authorized Official – ANTHC		Typed Name and Title			Date		
		Paul Sherry, Chief Executive Officer			8/9/02		
Signature of Authorized Official – Venetie Village Council		Typed Name and Title			Date		
		Bobby Tritt, First Chief			Aug. 19, 02		

**SANITATION FACILITY  
VENETIE VILLAGE COUNCIL, ALASKA  
PROJECT NO. AN 02-G44**

**PROJECT SPECIFIC SPECIAL AWARD CONDITIONS TO THE  
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SUB-AWARD**

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DATE OF DOCUMENT:  
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**A. RELATED AGEEMENTS**

This project is being carried out under the provisions of the following agreements:

- Denali Commission Financial Assistance Award Project Number 0068-DC-2002-I21, Amendment #1, dated June 2002
- Memorandum of Understanding Between the Denali Commission and the Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium for Alaska Rural Primary Care Facilities and Sanitation Facilities Planning, Design, and Construction, dated June 2002

**B. SCOPE OF PROJECT**

This project will renovate an existing washeteria in Venetie, Alaska. The scope of work includes purchasing and installing two energy efficient dryers, one high-speed washer/extractor, and one oversized washer. Washeteria boilers will also be repaired and upgraded.

Adding gravel to the foundation of the combined washeteria/water treatment plant building will be the only outdoor construction performed. The foundation grading must be improved to divert surface water away from the building. The present grading permits water to accumulate beneath the building. When the water freezes, it heaves and dislocates the wooden cribbing that the building rests on. Gravel will be obtained from a permitted borrow pit located 1,500 feet from the building and near the village's sewage lagoon.

This project includes design and planning, materials and equipment, construction, and labor.

**C. PROJECT FUNDING**

Denali Commission funding for this washeteria project has been made available to the ANTHC through a separate Financial Assistance Award (FAA), or amendment to an existing FAA, between the Denali Commission and the ANTHC. It is understood that funds will be transferred in a lump sum and in advance of project initiation. Project activities will not begin until funding is made available to ANTHC.

#### D. PROJECT MANAGEMENT METHODOLOGY

In conformance with the current Memorandum of Understanding Between the Denali Commission and the ANTHC for Alaska Rural Primary Care Facilities, the following Project Management Methodology option has been selected by the Venetie Village Council:

The Village shall assume responsibility for the design and construction management of the project with oversight and intermittent technical assistance by ANTHC. The local participant shall retain the services of a professional project manager, engineer, and/or contractor for the services defined in the Sub-Award. Project design shall be completed through a competitively selected architect and engineering (A/E) contractor for the Venetie Village Council. Project Construction shall be through Village force account construction method.

#### E. PROVISIONS FOR PROJECT COMPLETION

The following sections from the ANTHC, DEHE Primary Care Facility Sub-Award Provisions Manual (Orange Book), dated April 2002, are incorporated into this Agreement by reference. For the purposes of this Agreement, all references to "Local Participant" shall mean the Venetie Village Council.

- Section 1, "Provisions for All Sub-Awards"
- Section 2, "Assurances for All Construction Projects (Standard Form 424D)"
- Section 3.18, "Local Participant Procurement Provisions"
- Section 4, "Provisions for Local Participant Managed Force Account Labor, and Local Procurement of Force Account Management"
- Section 5, "Insurance and Indemnification Provisions for All Sub-Awards"

*RESOLUTION 1. VILLAGE RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE DISPOSITION OF CULTURAL ITEMS AND/OR ANCIENT HUMAN BURIALS, ASSOCIATED ITEMS, AND/OR ARCHAEOLOGICAL REMAINS*

RESOLUTION No. ~~02~~ 30

WHEREAS, the Venetie Village Council is a duly constituted Native American Tribe recognized by the Federal Government of the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Venetie Village Council is the duly elected governing body of the Tribe, authorized to act by and on behalf of its members, and

WHEREAS, the Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium, hereinafter called the ANTHC, in coordination with other parties, is providing a grant for construction of sanitation facilities in Venetie, Alaska, under ANTHC Project No. AN 02-G44 to provide for the improved health and welfare of the residents of Venetie, Alaska, and

WHEREAS, the requirements of the National Historic Preservation Act, hereinafter called NHPA, provide for cultural resources identification and protection through avoidance or mitigation to avoid unnecessary disturbance of reported or known human burials, and

WHEREAS, the NHPA requires Tribes to be consulting parties and contains stipulations regarding the appropriate treatment and disposition of human burials, associated items, and archaeological artifacts, and

WHEREAS, there is no known controversy anticipated with the proposed project and any known or reported ancient human burial, associated item, or archaeological site, and

WHEREAS, the excavation activities associated with construction may result in discovery of ancient cultural items (i.e. human burials, associated items, and archaeological artifacts), and

WHEREAS, it is in the interest of all parties concerned that there be no unnecessary delays in the completion of the construction of the health facilities.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tribe expressly stipulates the following conditions for disposition of and control over any and all cultural items discovered on all but private lands during construction of health facilities by all parties to facility construction operations:

1. The Tribe has the responsibility to identify any known or reported archaeological site, artifact, or ancient human remains to avoid unnecessary damage to sensitive resources.

2. Construction shall be delayed in the vicinity of the discovery until notification as per 36 CFR 800 is complete.
3. Appropriate mitigation measures shall be determined as per 36 CFR 800, and all mitigation shall be performed in conformance with 36 CFR 800.
4. An archaeologist, retained or employed by any party to facilitate construction operations, will view and document any and all cultural items discovered during excavation if an adverse effect determination has been made.
5. If removal of ancient human remains is necessary, the archaeologist shall remove the entire body. Unless the Tribe requests further study of the remains, tests upon or photographs of any ancient human remains will not occur unless specific, separate Agreements have been made with the Tribe.
6. If a modern human burial is discovered, the Village Public Safety Officer shall be contacted to determine if a criminal act can be identified. If the burial is from an archaeological context, the burial will be treated as archaeological remains and need not be treated as a scene of crime.
7. The Tribe assumes full responsibility of any and all cultural items discovered during excavation, on all but private lands.
8. The Tribe reserves the inherent right to determine the appropriate disposition of any and all cultural items discovered during excavation, on all but private lands.
9. The inherent claims or rights of the Tribe are not diminished by the fact that the land is under ownership by another party.
10. If the discovery is made on Federal lands, Indian Allotment lands, or lands not yet conveyed to the Village or Regional Corporation, parties to facility construction operations shall comply with the Native American Graves Repatriation Act if appropriate.
11. All other inherent rights and claims regarding any and all cultural items discovered on any lands other than private lands during excavation for or in support of facility construction not expressly covered in this Resolution are reserved to the Tribe alone.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that First Chief Bobby Tritt is hereby appointed the official representative for the Tribe for the purposes of implementing decision-making actions specified in this Resolution.

CERTIFICATION:

Adopted at a duly convened Venetie Village Council meeting at which a quorum was present on  
(Date).

Attested:

Bobby Tritt 1<sup>st</sup> Chief  
Bobby Tritt, Village Council Chief

Kannie John  
(NAME), Administrator





**ALASKA NATIVE TRIBAL HEALTH CONSORTIUM**  
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## MEMORANDUM

DATE: August 2002

FROM: Environmental Review Officer

SUBJECT: Washeteria Improvement Project, Native Village of Venetie Tribal Government, Alaska, Final Environmental Review, AN 02-G44

TO: FOR THE RECORD

Based upon the scope for this project, an environmental review in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) has been completed. The Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium (ANTHC) has considered all potential environmental concerns (specific and cumulative effects) associated with the project in consultation with applicable federal, state, and local authorities. The Environmental Review Report has been completed and reviewed with respect to the proposed health facilities improvement project and is attached to this Memorandum.

### FINDINGS

The ANTHC uses the Indian Health Service (IHS) environmental review procedures for conducting environmental analyses of all health and sanitation facilities projects, as outlined in the *Environmental Review Manual*, the second edition of which was issued in January 2000. This environmental review finds that no further environmental investigation is necessary. All actions involving construction have been reviewed and no extraordinary or exceptional circumstances were found to exist. It is therefore recommended that the Denali Commission approve a determination of eligibility for categorical exclusion from the requirement to conduct further environmental evaluation for this project. Current IHS policy (Federal Register, Vol. 58, No. 3, January 6, 1993, pp. 569-572) allows for categorical exclusion of health and sanitation facility projects that do not have a significant impact on the environment, as determined by the attached "Environmental Review and Documentation."

## BACKGROUND

Venetie is located on the north side of the Chandalar River, 45 miles northwest of Fort Yukon. It lies at approximately 67.01389° N Latitude and -146.41861° W Longitude. (Sec. 10, T025N, R006E, Fairbanks Meridian.)

The population of Venetie, as of the 2000 U.S. Census, according to the Alaska Department of Community and Economic Development, was 202 people.

## ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES OF IMPORTANCE

This project involves the addition of fill obtained from a permitted material source to the foundation of the washeteria building to mitigate drainage problems. Other tasks will include interior upgrades within the structure that is less than 50 years old. The ANTHC finds that this project will not affect historic properties, and will share this determination with the State Historic Preservation Officer for concurrence. It should be noted that the Village has signed a resolution regarding the disposition of human or other cultural remains in the unlikely event that any are uncovered through the course of construction. No other environmental resources of importance have been identified that would likely receive direct adverse impacts from this project.

## SCOPE OF WORK

This project will renovate an existing washeteria in Venetie, Alaska. The scope of work includes purchasing and installing two energy efficient dryers, one high-speed washer/extractor, and one oversized washer. Washeteria boilers will also be repaired and upgraded.

Adding gravel to the foundation of the combined washeteria/water treatment plant building will be the only outdoor construction performed. The foundation grading must be improved to divert surface water away from the building. The present grading permits water to accumulate beneath the building. When the water freezes, it heaves and dislocates the wooden cribbing that the building rests on. Gravel will be obtained from a permitted borrow pit located 1,500 feet from the building and near the village's sewage lagoon.

This project includes design and planning, materials and equipment, construction, and labor.

## PROPOSED MITIGATION MEASURES

Given the environmental review performed by the ANTHC, no mitigation activities are proposed for this project.

## SUMMARY

The Venetie will be responsible for ensuring that final design plans for health facilities will be submitted to the appropriate federal and state agencies for review and approval. In addition, the community of Venetie, Alaska is responsible for compliance with all applicable federal, state and local environmental laws, regulations, and requirements during all phases of the project, and for obtaining all necessary construction permits.

In any discovery situation of cultural items and/or human remains encountered during the course of the project, the ANTHC shall direct the community to stop construction activity in the area of discovery. The community shall further be directed to notify the ANTHC and the Denali Commission to pursue appropriate steps with the State Historic Preservation Officer for developing an acceptable course of action prior to resuming construction activities in the impacted area.

In the event of any other unforeseen discovery which could change the environmental determination, the community shall be directed to notify the appropriate authority, the ANTHC, and the Denali Commission to develop an acceptable course of action prior to resuming construction activities in the impacted area.

With the scope of work outlined in the Cooperative Project Agreement, the ANTHC has completed the environmental review. If the scope of work is changed in the future, then the community and the ANTHC will revisit this environmental review to determine if potential environmental concerns have been addressed.

  
Chris Campbell

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Facility: Washeteria

Location: Venetie, Alaska

Project Description: Renovation

Category	Determination (Yes or No)	Basis for Determination (Documentation, see last page)
PART I.		
1. Does this project include construction or lease of new facilities which will total more than 1080 square meters (12,000 square feet)? (Include portable facilities and trailers.)	No	No new facility construction will be included in this project.
2. Does this project involve the construction or lease of new facilities on more than 2 hectares (5 acres) of land?	No	Printed Materials – Less than 2 hectares (5 acres) will be involved in the proposed washeteria in Venetie, Alaska facility.
3. <u>Historic Preservation</u> : Will the proposed project construction or renovation adversely affect properties listed, or eligible for listing, on the National Register of Historic places (buildings, archaeological sites, objects of significance)?  If a property is more than 50 years old and no determination of eligibility was done, the agency must evaluate and nominate the facility. Contact the State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) and document the contact and SHPO response.	No	No historic properties eligible or on the National Register of Historic Places will be adversely impacted by the renovation of the washeteria in Venetie, Alaska. The State Historic Preservation Officer will be consulted for concurrence with this finding.

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4. Will the proposed project construction or renovation violate local, state, or federal law on the use and storage of hazardous substances or the transportation, storage, and disposal of hazardous wastes or medical wastes? (Activities that generate those items include renovations, new construction, air conditioning repair and service, pesticide application, motor pools, automobile repair, welding, landscaping, agricultural activities, print shops, hospitals, clinics, medical centers, etc. Repair, renovation, or demolition activities can generate waste that has asbestos-containing materials, asbestos, lead-based paint, PCBs, CFCs, etc.)	No	Printed Materials – The proposed project in Venetie, Alaska does not violate local, state, or federal law on the use and storage of hazardous substances or the transportation, storage, and disposal of hazardous wastes or medical wastes.
5. Will the project result in a known violation or continuance of a violation of applicable (Federal, Tribal, State or Local) law or requirements imposed for protection of the environment or public health and safety?	No	Printed Materials – The project will be in compliance with all applicable laws and requirements and will have the appropriated regulatory approvals.

REFERENCE: National Environmental Policy Act of 1969/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.1., K.2.

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6. Will the proposed project or construction or renovation result in a conflict with existing or proposed state, federal and local land use plans?	No	Printed Materials – The project site is not zoned. The Venetie, Alaska City Traditional Council have identified this project as an essential community facility.
7. Is the project significantly greater in scope than normal projects for the area or does the project have significant unusual characteristics?  REFERENCE: National Environmental Policy Act of 1969/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.11.	No	Printed Materials – The proposed project in Venetie, Alaska is typical in scope in comparison with ANTHC health facility improvement projects in rural Alaska and has no unusual, significant characteristics.
8. Does the project have significant adverse direct or indirect effects on parklands, other public lands, or areas of recognized scenic or recreational value?  REFERENCE: National Environmental Policy Act of 1969/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.5.	No	Printed Materials – Alaska Wildlife Refuges, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.  According to the community's Tribal Council, this project will not create any direct or indirect adverse impacts to areas of recognized scenic or recreational value.

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9. Is there a controversy with respect to environmental effects of the project based on reasonable and substantial issues?  REFERENCE: National Environmental Policy Act of 1969/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.3.	No	Based on project engineer consultation with local authorities, specifically representing the Tribe of Venetie, no controversy exists with respect to this project.
10. Does the project establish a precedent for future action or represent a decision in principle about future actions with potentially significant environmental effects? (cumulative impact based on current information)  REFERENCE: National Environmental Policy Act of 1969/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.6.	No	Printed Materials-- The project in Venetie, Alaska is not anticipated to result in any cumulative impacts that will result in degradation of environmental concerns as outlined in NEPA.
11. Does the project involve the use, transfer or lease of real property which has been used as a storage for hazardous waste and/or petroleum products or their derivatives for more than one year?  REFERENCE: Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.10.	No	Personal contact -- The project engineer, in consultation with the Tribe of Venetie, Alaska confirms that real property associated with the project in Venetie, Alaska has not been associated with the use, transfer, or lease as storage for hazardous waste for more than one year.

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<b>PART II</b>		
12. Will the proposed project construction or renovation require major sedimentation and erosion control measures? (e.g.; construction or expansion of a parking lot)	No	Printed Material- The proposed project will be constructed in an area which does not affect soil erosion or sedimentation.
13. Will the proposed project construction or renovation adversely affect community noise levels?	No	Printed Material – This project will not affect community noise levels because no blasting will occur and heavy equipment use will be limited to the daytime.
14. Will the proposed project construction or renovation adversely affect community air pollution?	No	Printed Material – The proposed project in Venetie, Alaska will not adversely affect air pollution. The project is located in an unclassified area with no identified air pollution problems, and it will have minor to no effect on local air quality.
15. Will the proposed project construction or renovation create a need for additional capacity in educational facilities?	No	Printed materials- The proposed project at Venetie, Alaska will not affect any need for additional capacity in educational facilities.
16. Will the proposed project construction or renovation create a need for additional capacity in health care facilities and for health care services?	No	Printed Materials – The proposed project is not anticipated to create a need for additional capacity in health care facilities and for health care services because it will not affect community population levels.
17. Will the proposed project construction or renovation create a need for additional energy supply or generation?	No	



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18. Will the proposed project construction or renovation create a need for additional capacity at solid waste disposal facilities?	No	Printed materials – The proposed project will not generate any additional sewage than the existing facility because it will not affect community population levels.
19. Will the proposed project construction or renovation create a need for additional capacity at wastewater treatment facilities?	No	Printed materials – The proposed project will not generate any additional solid waste than at present in Venetie, Alaska, and will not affect the capacity of the community's wastewater treatment facilities.
20. Will the proposed project construction or renovation create a need for/or require a storm water control plan? (e.g.; parking lots. Contact local or state authorities, or EPA to determine if your facility or project is in a regulated storm water area.)	No	
21. Will the proposed project construction or renovation create a need for additional drinking water supply?	No	Printed materials – The proposed project will not create a need for additional drinking water supply as the same population will continue to be served as previously.
22. Will the proposed project construction or renovation create a need for additional capacity in transportation systems?	No	Printed materials – The proposed project in Venetie, Alaska will serve the same population in a community lacking a transportation system.
23. Are there other considerations about the proposed project construction or renovation that could adversely affect the environment and/or public health and safety?	No	Printed materials – The proposed project in Venetie, Alaska is not anticipated to adversely affect the environment and/or public health and safety. No toxic building materials will be utilized.

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PART III		
24. <u>SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT</u> : Will the project impact a sole source aquifer?  REFERENCE: Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.5.	No	Personal Contact – Letter on file from Michael Crotteau, Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation August 1999.  There are no designated sole source aquifers in Alaska.
25. <u>FLOODPLAINS</u> : Will the project involve construction in a floodplain (except for actions excluded as a class) or impact floodplain development?  REFERENCE: Executive Order 11988 and related Acts and Executive Orders/FR Vol.58, No.3, K.5., K.9.	No	Printed materials – This project will not be in a floodplain.
26. <u>WETLANDS/WATER RESOURCES</u> : Will the project adversely affect wetlands/water resources or will there be construction in wetlands, except in conformance with a Corps of Engineers Section 404 Permit?  REFERENCE: Executive Order 11990 and related Acts and Executive Orders/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.5.	No	Printed materials – All construction will be done upon consultation with the US Army Corps of Engineers (COE) and in conformance with any requisite COE permit.

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27. <u>Coastal Zone Management</u> : Will the proposed project construction or renovation directly affect a Coastal Zone in a manner inconsistent with the State Coastal Zone Management Plan? (Each coastal state should have a state office to manage its coastal zone development and use. All federal projects in the coastal zone must comply with the management plan.)	No	Venetie is not in a coastal zone management area.
28. <u>WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS ACT</u> : Is the project a "Water Resources Project" which will impact a wild, scenic or recreational river area and create conditions inconsistent with the character of the river?  REFERENCE: Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968 and related Executive Actions/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.5.	No	Printed Materials – <i>Wild and Scenic Rivers (Alaska) List</i> , National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, National Parks Service.  The community of Venetie, Alaska is not located on a Wild or Scenic River. This project is not a "Water Resource Project" that will impact a wild, scenic, or recreational river, hence will not create conditions that are inconsistent with the character of the river.
29. <u>FARM LAND PROTECTION ACT</u> : Will the project convert significant agricultural lands to non-agricultural uses?  REFERENCE: Farmland Protection Policy Act of 1981 and related Acts and Executive Orders/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.5.	No	Personal Contact – Letter on file from Steve Tackett, Alaska Department of Natural Resources, July 1999.  The community of Venetie, Alaska is not located within an identified significant agricultural area.


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30. <u>WILDERNESS ACT</u> : Will the project adversely impact a wilderness area?	No	Printed Materials – Great Outdoor Recreation Pages, Alaska Wilderness Area List.
REFERENCE: Wilderness Act of 1964/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.5.		The community of Venetie, Alaska is not located in a designated wilderness area.
31. <u>ENDANGERED SPECIES ACT</u> : Is the project likely to adversely affect a species listed on the Federal List of Endangered or Threatened Species or the specific critical habitat?	No	Printed Materials – <i>Endangered, threatened and candidate species in Alaska</i> , U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, December 2000.
REFERENCE: Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended/FR Vol. 58, No.3, K.8.		This project will not be taking place in the vicinity of a critical habitat of an endangered species.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and ability the information presented herein is true and correct.

  
 Signature, Clinic Construction Project Manager

8/6/02  
 Date

  
 Signature, ANTHIC Environmental Review Officer

8/6/02  
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